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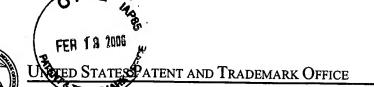
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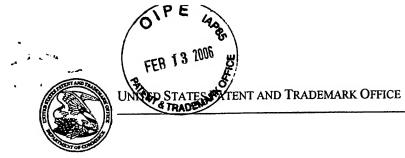
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THE FO		NG CHECKED (X) ITEM(S) CAUSE THE AMENDMENT DOCUMENT TO BE NON-COMPLIANT: adments to the specification:  A. Amended paragraph(s) do not include markings.  B. New paragraph(s) should not be underlined.  C. Other	
	2. Abstr	A. Not presented on a separate sheet. 37 CFR 1.72.  B. Other	
	3. Amendments to the drawings: Annotatal sheet # 15 missing.		
	4. Amer	A. A complete listing of <u>all</u> of the claims is not present.  B. The listing of claims does not include the text of all pending claims (including withdrawn claims)  C. Each claim has not been provided with the proper status identifier, and as such, the individual status of each claim cannot be identified. Note: the status of every claim must be indicated after its claim number by using one of the following 7 status identifiers: (Original), (Currently amended), (Canceled), (Withdrawn), (Previously presented), (New) and (Not entered).  D. The claims of this amendment paper have not been presented in ascending numerical order.  E. Other:	
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this lett non-ent changes	er to support of the	liant amendment is a <b>PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT</b> , applicant is given ONE MONTH from the mail date of ply the corrected section which complies with 37 CFR 1.121. Failure to comply with 37 CFR 1.121 will result in preliminary amendment and examination on the merits will commence without consideration of the proposed reliminary amendment(s). This notice is not an action under 35 U.S.C. 132, and this <b>ONE MONTH time limit</b> te.	
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